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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Jennnifer Y. Sun et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/918,683

FILED: July 27, 2001

FOR: ELECTROCHEMICALLY ROUGHENED ALUMINUM
SEMICONDUCTOR CHAMBER SURFACES

§ GROUP ART UNIT: 1763
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§ EXAMINER: A. M. Crowell
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§ Attorney Docket No.:
§ AM-5431

Date: November 14, 2003

**AMENDMENT "A" UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111
AND FORMAL DRAWINGS
TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

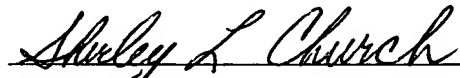
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is applicants' Amendment "A" in response to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2003, having a shortened statutory period for response of November 14, 2003.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as U.S. EXPRESS MAIL NO. ET160369970US in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment (With Fee), Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: November 14, 2003


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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

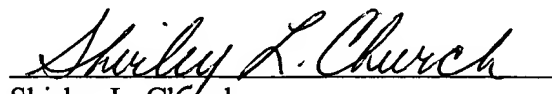
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER <u>AMENDMENT</u>		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY <u>PAID FOR</u>		PRESENT <u>EXTRA</u>		<u>RATE</u>	ADDITIONAL <u>FEE</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	49	minus	40	=	9	x	\$18.00	\$162.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	minus	4	=	0	x	\$86.00	\$00.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if first presented)			previously paid				\$290.00	\$00.00
							TOTAL FEE DUE	\$162.00

Also submitted herewith is 1 sheet of Formal Drawings (in duplicate) to replace the previously submitted Formal Drawings. Figures 1 and 2 of the drawings have been amended, at the request of the Examiner, to include the designation "Prior Art". Applicants do not believe that any fee is due in connection with replacing previously submitted formal drawings with a new set of formal drawings.

Enclosed herewith is Check No. 2249, in the amount of \$ 162.00, in payment of the fee for the additional claims. Applicants believe that this is the total amount due in connection with the filing of this Amendment "A". However, if an additional fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of such fee, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1512 of Shirley L. Church, Sunnyvale, California.

This transmittal letter is submitted in duplicate for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,


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